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Welcome Guide

Certification Program:
AWS Certified Solutions Architect Associate

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Welcome to the Deloitte Cloud Institute!

This confirms your registration for the **AWS Certified Solutions Architect Associate** certification program. We are excited that you'll be joining us.

This guide will help you understand what your learning journey will look like as you proceed with preparing for your certification. Here you will find:

- ✓ A link to additional exam preparation material (in Cura)
- ✓ A summary of the Completion Criteria
- ✓ Information on how to schedule your exam and receive your vouchers
- ✓ A checklist to help you get started
- ✓ FAQs

You should have also received a calendar hold for the certification exam prep bootcamp (sent with your registration confirmation from the Deloitte Learning Center). The bootcamp vendor will send you the actual calendar invite as the bootcamp date approaches, so stay tuned.
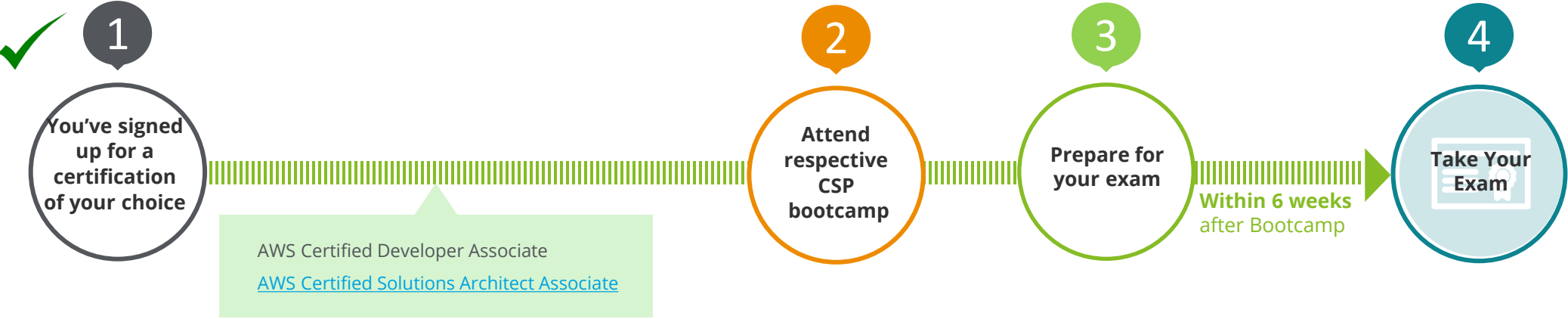
Best wishes on your learning journey!

Warm Regards,
The Deloitte Cloud Institute Team

Program Information

AWS Associate Certification Pathway

○ Required (Virtual)

✓ Completed

aws certified Developer Associate

aws certified Solutions Architect Associate

✓

(1) You've signed up for a certification of your choice

AWS Certified Developer Associate

AWS Certified Solutions Architect Associate

(2) Attend respective CSP bootcamp

(3) Prepare for your exam

Within 6 weeks after Bootcamp

(4) Take Your Exam

Recommended for:
Cloud Developer
Cloud Engineer
Cloud Architect

Completion Criteria

✓ The certification program has been optimized to accommodate different levels of proficiency. Practitioners are not expected to consume all material in Cura, rather use to it brush up on topics and prepare for the exam.

✓ Learners are afforded up to 6 weeks of exam preparation. However, we recommend taking the exam as close to the bootcamp date as possible.

✓ The duration of the bootcamp will depend on the target certification. Check the calendar hold (sent with your registration confirmation from the Deloitte Learning Center) for the exact bootcamp dates.

To successfully complete the program, you MUST:

1. Attend the entirety of and participate in the required CSP bootcamp

2. Pass the certification exam, update your Talent on Demand (ToD) profile, and **share your results with the Cloud Institute team within 6 weeks of the CSP bootcamp**

Certification Exam – AWS

The Cloud Institute strongly encourages you to schedule and complete your certification exam within 21 days of the bootcamp end date, while information is fresh; however, you must pass your exam within 6 weeks of the bootcamp end date.

	Scheduling	Exam Retakes
aws	1. Use the exam voucher you received from the vendor 2. Schedule your exam when prompted during the bootcamp 3. Share your exam status with the Cloud Institute team	1. At the top of the Project Maia website landing page, **click Jump to Registration Options** 2. Under **Self-Study Registration**, select either **US Registrations** or **USI Registrations** 3. Complete the form to confirm your enrollment 4. In the Additional Comments field, include the following: "I am a Cloud Institute participant." 5. Send proof of training completion and anticipated exam date to GlobalMaiaAWSProject@deloitte.com 6. Note: Project Maia issues vouchers weekly on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The exam should be scheduled within 2 weeks of the receiving the voucher. 7. Share your exam status with the Cloud Institute team

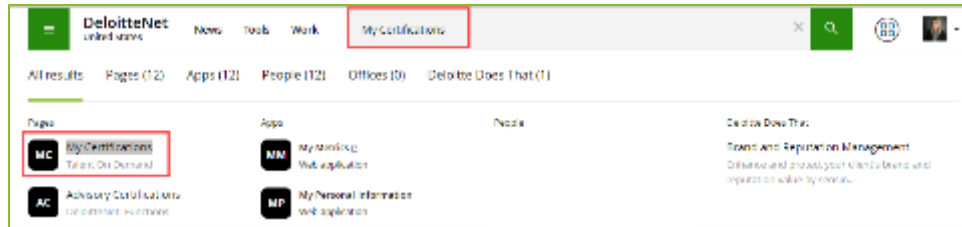| Exam Dates	Resources	Reminders
Target: **21 days after bootcamp end date** Last Chance: **6 weeks after bootcamp end date**	• Exam Guide: Click Here • Retake Policy: Click Here • Pearson OnVue Practitioner Guide	• Exam vouchers for the initial exam will be provided as part of the program; you do not need to purchase your own voucher. • Vouchers for retakes may be provided based on availability through Project Maia and in accordance with AWS exam retake policies.

Resources

Checklist: Getting Started

☐ [Share your project lead's name and email address using this form](#). We'll use this information to keep them informed about your enrollment.

☐ Confirm your availability for the instructor-led bootcamp with your project lead.
   Need help starting the conversation? See this [sample message](#) or this [Learner-Project Lead Contract](#).

☐ Add the calendar hold for the CSP bootcamp to your Outlook calendar (sent with your registration confirmation from the Deloitte Learning Center).
   Remember: You will be fully engaged while the bootcamp is in session!

☐ Review [the Terms of Enrollment](#), specifically:
   • Completion Criteria
   • Conflicts and Drops policy
   • Cancellation Fee policy

☐ Check out the exam prep materials in Cura (Go to the [Program Overview](#) for the link to Cura).

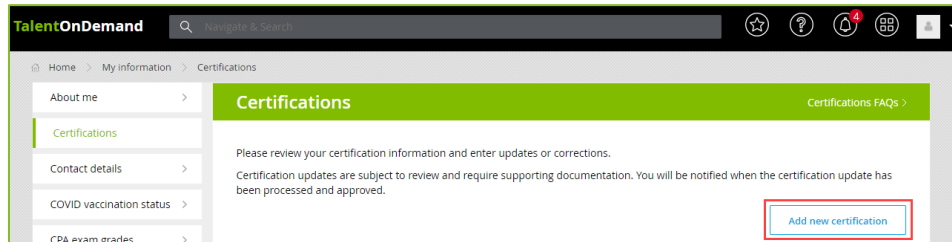# How do you upload certifications to Talent on Demand?

Follow the instructions below to upload your cloud certifications to Talent on Demand.

1 Open DeloitteNet

2 Type **My Certifications** in the search bar and choose My Certifications in the Pages section to be redirected to Talent on Demand

3 Click **Add new certification**

4 Complete **all** fields (choose Exam passed) AND upload a PDF or image of the certification

Select an existing Certification; **do not** create a new one. Your Certification is listed as an option. Type in the first few letters to populate your response (full list of certification names on following slide).

5 Click **Submit for approval**; your submission will go through a TOD approval process, and you will be notified when it is approved

How do you find your certification in Talent on Demand?

Your certification will be listed in Talent on Demand using the *exact language* listed below.

aws

- AWS Cert Solutions Architect Associate
- AWS Cert Developer Associate Level
- AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner
- AWS Cert Solutions Architect Professiona
- AWS Cert DevOps Engineer Professional
- AWS Cert Adv Networking– Specialty
- AWS Certified Data Analytics – Specialty
- AWS Certified Database – Specialty
- AWS Cert Machine Learning – Specialty
- AWS Certified Security – Specialty

MS Azure

- AZ-204 MS Azure Developer Associate
- AZ-104 MS Azure Administrator
- AZ-900 MS Azure Fundamentals
- AZ-220 MS Azure IoT Developer Specialty
- AZ-305 MS Azure Design Infra Solutions
- AZ-400 MS Azure DevOps Engineer
- AZ-500 MS Azure Security Eng Associate
- AZ-700 MS Azure Network Eng Associate
- DP-203 MS Azure Data Engineer Associate
- DP-300 MS Azure Database Admin Associate

Google Cloud

- GCP - Associate Cloud Engineer
- GCP – Cloud Digital Leader
- GCP - Prof. Cloud Architect
- GCP – Prof. Cloud Developer
- GCP – Prof. Cloud DevOps Engineer
- GCP – Prof. Cloud Network Engineer
- GCP – Prof. Security Engineer
- GCP – Prof. Collaboration Engineer
- GCP –Prof. Data Engineer
- GCP – Prof. Machine Learning Engineer

ORACLE CLOUD

- 1Z0-1072-22 OCI Architect Associate
- 1Z0-1085-22 OCI Foundations Associate
- 1Z0-997-22 OCI Architect Professional
- 1Z0-1109-22 OCI DevOps Professional
- 1Z0-1110-22 OCI DataScience Professional
- 1Z0-1104-22 OCI Security Professional

MuleSoft

- MuleSoft Certified Developer – Level 1
- MuleSoft Certified Developer – Level 2
- MuleSoft Platform Architect – Level 1
- MuleSoft Integration Architect – Level 1

boomi

- Boomi Associate Developer
- Boomi Professional Developer
- Boomi Associate Administration
- Boomi Distributed Account Management
- Boomi Prof. Windows Operational Admin
- Boomi Prof. Linux Operational Admin
- Boomi Professional API Design
- Boomi Professional API Management
- Boomi Associate Flow Essentials
- Boomi Professional Flow Developer
- Boomi Associate Master Data Hub
- Boomi Associate EDI for X12
- Boomi Dev and Application Architecture

Red Hat

- Red Hat Deliv Spec – Container Platform
- RHCSA (Red Hat Certified System Admin)

vmware

- VMware App Modernization
- VMware vSphere 7.x
- VMware NXS-T Data Center 3.0
- VMware Cloud on AWS - Master Specialist

CERTIFIED kubernetes APPLICATION DEVELOPER

- Certified Kubernetes App Dev

If your certification is not listed in Talent on Demand, please contact uselecertification@deloitte.com

FAQ

How do I find the correct courses in Cura?
Use the Cura link provided in the [Program Overview](#) to find the courses relevant to your selected certification.

What if I am unable to attend the bootcamp?
Attendance to the bootcamp is required and one of the completion criteria. If you wish to drop from the program, please cancel your current enrollment (instructions below) and [add your name to our interest form](#) to be notified of future offerings. However, before cancelling, review the Cancellation Fee Policy in the Terms of Enrollment.

Where do I charge my time?
*Time spent for the Cloud Institute (eLearning, assessments, and the bootcamp) should be charged to **CEDXXXXX-01-01-01-0000**. The XXXXX is your cost center.*

How do I schedule and take my exam?
Please refer to the [Certification Exam](#) section for information on getting exam vouchers and scheduling your exam.

How do I share my exam status with the Cloud Institute?
Use this link to [share your results with the Deloitte Cloud Institute](#).

Can I change my target certification?
If you feel misaligned with your selected certification, please cancel your current enrollment (instructions below) and [add your name to our interest form](#) to be notified of future offerings. However, before cancelling, review the Cancellation Fee Policy in the Terms of Enrollment.

How do I register for another certification bootcamp?
To register for a different certification bootcamp, first make sure you cancel your current enrollment (instructions below) as you cannot be registered for more than one bootcamp at a time. Then, [add your name to our interest form](#) to be notified of future offerings. Remember to review the Cancellation Fee Policy in the Terms of Enrollment before cancelling.

How do I cancel my enrollment?
To cancel your enrollment, please follow the below steps:
- *Go to My Learning in the [Deloitte Learning Center](#)*
- *Find your Deloitte Cloud Institute class listed under "Learning & Certifications"*
- *Click the drop-down arrow under "Actions" for the class*
- *Select "Drop" to cancel your enrollment for the class*